# LANGUID STOCKS LOSE AND RALLY

Market Very Sluggish in Spite of Improved Tone Late in Day.

#### TROUBLES OF PENNSYLVANIA

Decline in Wheat Market Slightly Influential-Call Money Still Easy.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, May 18.—The inconsistency of the tendency of prices in the duil rut of professionalism into which the stock market is relapsing was again well illustrated to-day. The early market showed an extension of the decitne, which became pronounced into yesterday. Afterwards there was a slow and irregular recovery, with increasing dullness amounting to practical idiences late in the day. The day's movements were almost entirely accounted for by this shifting operations of the room traders and their inability to move prices far in either direction. News was unimportant, without much influences. Pennsylvania continued to be conspecuously depressed under the joint influence of the revelations before the interstate Commerce Commission, and of the heavy borrowings of the company. The latter influence was aggravated by the circulation of reports of additional loans in immediate prospects by the company, for which no authority was obtainable. The money and exchange markets were without notable incident. Call money and loans on time up to six months continued easy in tone, and rates were even shaded to some extent, but for periors over the end of the year, 5 per cent. Is alrongly bid, and the asking rate is 5% per cent.

The decline in the west market and

U. S. refunding 2s, registered...... U. S. refunding 2s, coupon..... U. S. 3s. registered ......

5.165 bales; sales, 2,360 bales; stock, 155,472

RICHMOND PRODUCE MARKET.

(Corrected Dally.)
POULTRY-LIVE. 

PPLESExtra, fancy, per lb. 0.0) @ 7.01
Fancy, per bbl. 4.50 @ 4.50
Choice, per bbl. 5.00 @ 5.00
Dominon to fair, per bbl. 2.50 @ 4.00
DMOMS-Per box. 8.60 @ 5.60
RANGESRAN

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

... 60 6 1.00 ... 1.15 6 1.25

Choice family packed, per lb....
Choice dairy packed, per lb....
Choice store packed.....
Packing stock.....
EGGS.

LEMONR-Per box.

ORANGES—
CAlifornia, per box.
GRAPE FRUIT-Per box.
STRAWEBRRIES—Fancy, ql.
BANANAS—Per bunch.
Black peas, per bus.
BLACK EYED PEAS—
Prime to fancy.
Common to good.
Clay, peas, per bus.
Mixed peas, per bus.
Mixed peas, per bus.
Common to choice, per bus.
Colored, per bus.
Colored, per bus.
Northern, fancy, per bus.
Northern, fancy, per bus.
New Southern, per bus.
SNAPS—Per basket.
Cabbage—Southern, crate.
COMMON COMM

decline in the wheat market and per cent.
The decline in the wheat market and reports of better weather conditions in the wheat belt were coincident with an improving tone of the stock market late in the day. Professional initiative on the recovery was languid and the trading showed an increasing degree a lack of leadership and a decline in the efforts to effect a movement of prices. Reading showed a firm tone at times, but its movement was unimportant. Reports of a dispute amongst trunk lines over passenger rate differentials received some attention, but were of small effect on prices. The closing tone was heavy at the recovery.

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Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, \$2,070,000. United States 4's declined ½ per cent, on call.

Total sales stocks were 581,000 shares.

NEW YORK, May 18 .- Money on call

NEW YORK, May 18.—Money on call easy; 3@34 per cent; ruling rate, 34; closing bid, 2; offered at 34. Time loans steady; sixty days, 44, per cent; ninety days, 445; six months, 44/244.

Prime mercantile paper, 54/54, per cent. Sterling exchange easy, at 48.85.25/9 44.85.30 for demand and at 34.82.66/34.82.10 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 34.33 and 34.864. Commercial bills, 34.814. Bar silver, 674. Mexican dollars, 52.

### RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., May 18, 1906. BALES AT BOARD. enturies—1,000 at 65; 1,000 at 95; 100

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BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET, BALTIMORE, MD., May 18.—Seaboard Air ine, common, 24% asked. Seaboard Air Line referred—Nothing doing.

#### COTTON MARKETS.

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The cotton market was less active to-day and easier after a steady opening, with the closing showing a net loss of 347 points. Soles for the day were estimated at 16,000 bales. The opening was steady at an advance of 343 points in respons eto slightly better cables that nexpected, and continued large spot sales in the Liverpool market, Immediately active the opening active months galindication of builting and the series of a private and the series of the opening active months galindication of builting and the series of the opening active months galindication of builting and the series of the opening active months galindication of builting and the series of the opening active months galindication of builting and the series of th

bales against 3.625 last year, and at Houston 1,253 bales against 1,934 last year.	Open. High, Low, Close.
Cotton future steady. Prices ranged as foilows:  Open. High, Low. Close: May	July \$234 8334 8236 8236 8236 8036 8036
June 11.29 11.30 11.30 11.21 11.23 11.34 11.30 11.23 August 11.03 11.03 10.97 10.92 8eptember 10.79 10.79 10.72 10.72	CORN—No. 3.  May
October 10,70 10,76 10,84 10,84 10,86 November 10,06 10,65 10,64 10,65 10,65 10,67 10,67 10,77 10,70 10,72	May 33% 33% 33% 33% 359% 35 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3
Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 12.00; middling gulf, 12.25; sales, 2,360 bales.	July
Cotton, quiet; middlink, 12.00; gross receipts,	LAKD—Per 100 lbs
THOMAS BRANCH & CO.	BHORT HHS-Per 100 Ds. May 5.90 8.90 8.90 8.90 May 9.024, 9.0714 8.95 9.00 Sepit 9.05 9.10 8.974, 9.034, Cash countillors were as follows: Flour-
(Established 1838.)	Firm. No. 2 spring wheat, 6836640c; No. 3, 78363c; No. 2 rod. 2012055c. No. 2 corn. 494c. No. 2 collow, 5046054c. No. 2 collow, 5046054c. No. 2 collow, 5046054c. No. 3 white, 3343346c. No. 2 white, 3443346c. No. 3 white, 3443346c. No. 3 white, 3443446c. No. 3 white, 3443446c. No. 3 white, 3443446c.
MEMBERS New York Stock Exchange,	50. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.00; No. 1 forthwaster, \$1.145; prime timothy seed, \$3.3025.40. Mess pork, per barrel, \$15.55@15.50; lard, per \$100.000; \$8.50.0000; \$8.50.000; \$8.50.000; \$8.50.000; \$8.50.00000; \$8.50.0000; \$8.5
New York Cotton Exchange. Private Wires to	bounds, 88-bit short clear sides (boxed), 59 2009-89. Whis- key basis of high wines, 81-9. Clover contract grade, 511-25. Hutter-Easy; creameries; 184-0 190.; dairies, 18501c. Cheese-Steady at \$4,00 12c. Eggs-Steady at mark, cases included, 189 154-0; inrsts, 154-0; prime firsts, 164-0; extras, 184-0.
Principal Markets,	BALTIMORE, MD., May 18 FLOUR-b'irm and unchanged. Wheat-Dull; spot, contract, \$54,6384c.; southern by sample, 76,788c. Corn-
Investment Securities.	67c. Oats-Firmer; No. 2 mixed, 3844/230c; No. 2 mixed, 884/239c. Rye-Dull; No. 2 western, 71672c. Buttor-Steady and unchanged; fancy 1

# THOMAS BRANCH & CO.

# Investment Securities.

# OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALE OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK KILLS NEPHEW By Thomas Branch & Co., Bankers and Brokers.

	LOSING BOND QUOTATION	
103 % 103 % 102 % 102 % 103 % 108 %	Chicago, R. I. and Pac. R. R. 48	National R. R., of Mexico con. 48.  New York Central gen. 348.  New Jorsey Central gen. 68.  Northern Pacific 38.  Northern Pacific 38.  Norfolk and Western con. 48.  Oregon Short Line retunding 48.  Pennsylvania conv. 348.  Reading General 48.
Service Co.	Dete males lies 4s	1 St. Louis and San Prancisco is.

Hocking Valley 41/8... Japan 6s. 2d series... Japan 41/8... imitation, 18@8c.; do., creamery, 21@22c. Eggs-Steady and unchanged at 10%c. Cheese-Strong and unchanged; large, September, 14%c.; November, 14c.; small, 10%c. Sugar—Steady and unchanged. for the past two weeks. Much of the offered was damaged by mould. Price about as for the past several weeks, port from the planters are that there damage to the tobacco plants by the the past week.

The quotations are as follows:

(As Reported by Craddock-Jones, Virginia

DANVILLE TOBACCO MARKET.

NAVAL STORES.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, MAY 18, 1906.

Schooner Cherubine, Woolford, Hampton, Va.

Visible Cotton Supply.

Produce Market.

5.165 bales; sales, 2,360 bales; stook, 155.412 bales, to-day at all ports—Net receipts, 15.335 bales; export to Great Britain, 385 bales; to Japan, 3,107 bales; to the Continent, 14,542 bales; to Japan, 3,107 bales; stock, 51,053 bales, Congolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 75.574 bales; export to Great Britain, 7,631 bales; to Japan, 3,506 bales, to the Continent, 63,628 bales; to Japan, 3,506 bales, at all ports—Net receipts, 156,000 bales; to Japan, 15,306 bales, at all ports—Net receipts, 156,000 bales; to Japan, 15,373 bales; to Japan, 15,373 bales; to Japan, 15,379 bales; to Mexico, 2,761 bales; to Mexico, 2,761 bales; RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET Richmond, Va., May 18, 1996. QUOTATIONS. 'HEAT—
No. 2 red (car lots) 

No. 3 red (car lots) 

Steamer (car lots) 

Rejected (car lots) 

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St G balea; to Mexico, 2.761 baleas.

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—COPTON—Spot cotton good grades are still in good demand, but the supply is acent. Salea, 575 bales, including 25c to arrive. Quotations unchanged; midding, 11-16c.

Futures opened 283 points above last evening's an continued activity in Liverpool, Later in the acession in the absence of support from any quarter, prices cased off, the trading being very light. The market closed quiet with losges of 1 point on May and 435 points on the other positions.

Cotton futures closed: May, 11.31, June, 11.31, July, 11.44; August, 11.5; September, 10.74; October 10.51; November, 10.67; December, 10.27; January, 10.65. 3 white (car lots)......
2 white (car lots)......
2 mixed (car lots)......
3 mixed (car lots)...... 

CATTLE MARKETS.

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RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Sales at Union Stock Yards.) 1994.

Report of the live stock market for the week anding May 14, 1996.

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NEW YORK, May 18.—BEEVES—Receipts 275 head. Stores, \$4.5095.00; bulls, \$3.5093.75; coves. \$2.5394.30; Calves—Receipts Feb. Red. Veals, H.6095.30; Salves—Sheep north Lambs—Hold St. Salves—Sheep north Lambs—Hold St. Salves—Sheep north Lambs—Hold Sheep north Lambs—Hold Sheep north Lambs—Red Sheep north Lambs—R

PITTSBURG, PA., May 15—CATTLE—Supply light; market slow. Choice, 55.7565 09; prime, \$5.6095.00. Hogs—Receipts light; market slow. Prime heavies, 36.80; mediums, yorkers and pigs, \$6.50; roughs, \$5.6095.00, Sheep—Supply light; market slow. Prime wethers, \$5.7565.00; uplies to the common, \$2.50673.60; lambs, \$1.5095.90; veal calves, \$6.5097.00.

CINCINNATI, O., May 15.—HOGS—Higher, Sutchers and shippers, 48.00 5 5; common, 6.45 6.45. Cattle—Slow. Fair to good ship-ters, 44.26 5.10; common, 22.26 20.0. Shep-lrm at 13.50 24.50. Lambs—Active at 55.78 46.76.

TOBACCO MARKETS.

Richmond, Va., May is, 1906.

Tobacco—Dark Fired—Receipts continue very light and market quiet at unchanged prices; very little doing. Brights—Market continues quiet, but firm at prices quoted, light receipts Sun-Cured—Market continues active at unchanged quotations; receipts light.

NOTE—Much of the tobacco arriving is in a damaged condition, and such tobacco sells low. Planters are cautioned to other continues of their tobacco before senting the order of their tobacco before a follows:

The quotations are an included:

DARK FIRED TOBACCO.

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Stedium text	0.00	ŏ	13
Vrappers and selection	10.00		15
Wrappers and selection	10.00		10
BRIGHT TOBACCO.			
SMOKERS-Common	8.00	U	9
Medium	10.50	(0)	11
Fine	12.00		18
CUTTERS-Common	11.00	W	12
Medium	19.00	Ü	14
Fine	14.50	8	16
Fancy	17.00	40	20
FILLERS-Common	8.00	0	2
Medium	10,00	Ü	11
Good	11 00	ö	12
Fine	19 00	0	14
WRAPPERS-Common	14 00	00	16
Medium	17 00	ö	20
Medium	24 00	Ö	30
Good	33.50	9	87
Fine		6	45
Fancy	***	v	-
BUN-CURED TOBACC	4.00	0	6
Lugs, common to good			7
Luga, good to prime	7.00	œ	9
Short leaf		8	11
Long leaf	8.60	3	35
Wrappers	14.00	W	40
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LYNCHBURG TOBACCO MARKET. Sales of loose tobacco on the Lyachburg market for the two weeks ending May II. 1906, reported by John L. Oglesby, of Lyach's Warehouse, were as follows:

Sold week ending May 4th, 54,000 pounds; sold week ending May 11th, 197,100 pounds; increase for the week ending May 11th, 53,100 

STOCK BROKERS.

# GEO. T. KING & CO.,

Richmond, Va. 1104% B. Main St., STOCKS, COTTON AND GRAIN, Fractional Lots a Specialty, Close Attention to Out-of-Town Accounts

NEW YORK, CHICAGO, NEW ORLEANS Western Union Branch in our office. Stock Ticker in Customer's Room. ---Members-

Richmond Grain and Cotton Exchange Strangers visiting the city are invited to make our office their headquarters and have mail and wires sent in our care.

# Fatal Result of a Mule Trade in

Johnston County

N. C.

#### A CHARGE OF NEGRO BLOOD

Supreme Court Supports Right of Portugese Descendants to Attend White School.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RALBIGH, N. C., May Ik.—News was
received here this afternoon of a quarrel
between H. D. Hudson and his uncle,

RALDIGH, N. C., May 18.—News was received here this afternoon of a quarrel between H. D. Hudson and his uncle, Julius Hudson, in Johnston county, which resulted in the killing of H. D. Hudson by his uncle. They had traded mules and the nephew had gone to his uncle to demand a "rue back." In the quarrel, the nephew attempted to strike his uncle with an axc. The latter fired on him with a shotgun, killing him instantly. Julius Hudson also had his arm fractured by a blow from H. D. Hudson with the axe, Julius Hudson surrendered himself to the authorities, and makes a plea of self-defense.

One of the most remarkable of the appeals from the Fifteenth Distrist, just argued in the Supreme Court, was Gilliliand vs. County Board of Education, from Buncombe county, involving the question of whether or not there was negro blood in the family of the plaintiff that would debar the children from attending the public schools of the county. The board had made an order that the Gilliand children be not allowed to attend the white schools, and the limitiance of his children, on the plea that their dark complexion was due to a Portuguese and not negro blood. The case came to the Supreme Court on petition for a reheating, on the ground of newly discovered evidence, which would show negro ancestry, and not to negro taint. The jury decided in favor of the plaintiff, and that the Gillilands had Portuguese and not negro blood. The case came to the Supreme Court on petition for a reheating, on the ground of newly discovered evidence, which would show negro ancestry.

Rev. Sylvester Bets, who is behind the movement for an election on the question of, "prohibiation" or "dispensary," says good progress is being made and that the petitions with ample qualified signatures to force the calling of the election will be submitted to the Aldorwan of Releich very soon. He says there

signatures to force the calling of the election will be submitted to the Aldermen of Raleigh very soon. He says there will be no let up until the election is secured, as the greatest stumbling block the Christian life of Raleigh is the

dispensary.

There was forwarded to-day from the executive office of Governor Glenn, the requisition on the Governor of Ohio, for requisition on the Governor of Ohio, for M. T. Spaich, who has bene arrested on the charge of looting the treasury of the Sells Bros.' and Forepaughs' circus, near rarboro, N. C., in 1905. The report that Spaich has been released in Ohio under \$1,000 bond, is not credited here, as it is declared that if such is the case, with the evidence against him as strong as it is, he would disappear at once.

Colonel John S. Cunningham, president of the North Carolina Tobaco Growers' of the North Carolina Tobaco Growers'

DANVILLE TORACCO MARKET.

(Reported by Dibreil Bros.)
Danville, Va., May 18, 1995.

Very small loose sales to report this week, the quality of which has been rather poor, showing evidence conclusive of the wind up of the crop. Prices are without change, being firm on all grades, but without sufficiently large break to attract in good attendance of buyers an occasional locasella locas of the North Carolina Tobaco Growers' Association, said while in the city to-day that he estimates the damage by the late frosts to plants in the beds and those on the tobacco fields at about ten per-cent.

It is ascertained in the office of Sheriff Page that eighty-five per cent. of the poil tax on white persons were paid and fifty-eight per cent. of the colored poils. May 1st. so that they will be

polls, May 1st, so that they will be qualified to vote. It is thought that very few will really lose their votes by fail-ing to pay their poll tax, since the grad-mass of the unpaid polls are persons who have left the county or cannot be found.

## CANNOT ATTACH FUND PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET. PETERSBURG, VA., May 18.—PEANUTS— Spanish—Market firm at 11.074 per bushes. Virginias—Market firm at 184c. for fancy stock; machine picked at 18,02%c; shelling stock, 18,472. WIDOWS AND ORPHANS

DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK: May 18 - Buying of sheetings, taple bleached and brown goods and low grane qualities was brisk to-day in the dry goods narket. Fine goods remained generally sold rom six months to a year ahead. Supreme Court Decision in Favor of the Royal Arcanum.

NAVAL STORES.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 18.—SPIRITS
TURPENTINE—Nothing dobng; receipts, 17
casks. Rosin—Nothing dobng; receipts, 28
casks. Rosin—Nothing dobng; receipts, 29
casks. Rosin—Firm at 81.95; receipts, 25
crude Turpentine—Firm; hard, \$2.95; dip, \$4.75;
crude Turpentine—Firm; hard, \$2.95; dip, \$4.75;
crude Turpentine—Firm; hard, \$2.95; dip, \$4.75;
savannah, 6.25; receipts, 2.38; receipts, 1,84
casks; shipments, \$65; casks. Rosin—Firm;
sales, \$6.35 barrels; receipts, 3.38; barrels; \$61;
collarLesTon, S. C., May 18.—TURPENTINE AND ROSIN—Nothing doing. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RALDIGH, N. C., May 18.—Opinions
were delivered hat evening by the Supreme Court in nineteen appeals. The case of most general interfs was A. G. Brenizer, of Charlotte, vs. Royal Arcanum, involving the question of whether money in the hands of local collectors and treasurers of Royal Arcanum paid in by mem-bers as assessments for "widows and or lers as assessments for 'widows and orphans fund' are liable to attachment to satisfy claims in this State against the Supreme Council. The majority of the court, Associate Justice Connor writing the opinion, hold that this money is not subject to attachment. Chief Matte Walter Clark files a dissenting opinion holding that attachments should hold against funds accumulated and in the hands of officers in this State from premiums and assessments, for death loss whose payment is refused or to pay a claim like that of the plaintiff in this cass which is in lieu of a death loss, being to recover back assessments paid into the fund by Brentzer by reason of the wrongful cancellation of his policy or breach of contract through the general increase of assessments put in force by the Supreme Lodge some months ago.

The majority opinion of the court which settles the suit in favor of the Koyal Arcanum, holds that whether the funds in the hands of the local council collectors and treasurers are treated as property of the coproration immediately upon its receipt by them or as the property of members of the local councils until transmitted is immaterial. If the first, it is impressed with an impressed trust; if the second, it cannot be attached for a debt of the Supreme Council, Royal Arcanum. Otherwise the result would be disastrous to thousands of widows and orphans. phans fund" are liable to attachment to ARRIVED.
Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchan-dies and passengers Old Dominion line. SAILED.

Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, Norfolk and James River landings, merchandine and passengers, Virginia Navigation Company.

Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandles and passensers. Old Dominion line.

Barge William A. Smoot, Highes, James River, light.

Barge A. W. Emery, Marsh, James River, ight. light.
Schooner Alice J. Venable, Signaigo, James
River, Ight.
Tug Radiant, Burk, Baltimere, two oil barges.
Schooner Commodore, Gilliken, Beaufort, N.

PORT OF WEST POINT, MAY 18, 1906.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Baltimore, Short, Baltimore, paseners and general cargo.

Steamer Elm City, Haynes, Mattaponi River landings, passengers and general cargo.

Steamer Baltimore, Short, Baltimore, pasengers and general cargo.

Steamer Elm City, Haynes, Mattaponi River landings, passengers and general cargo. orphans.

Captured By Relative.

Visible Cotton Supply.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—Secretary
Hesfer's statement of the world's visible
supply of cotton, issued to-day, shows the
total visible to be 3,950,916 against 4,087,774 last week and 3,950,652 last year. Of
this, the total of American cotton is 2,
435,916 against 2,587,774 last week, and
2,653,652 last year, and of all other kinds,
including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 1,
545,000 against 1,550,000 last week and
1,323,000 last year. Captured By Relative.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY. N. C., May 18.—Charles
Brady, a well known young farmer of
Rowan county, for whom a reward of
\$100 was offered by Governor Glenn, of
North Carolina, and which was supplemented by \$50 from Sheriff Julian, of
Rowan, was captured yesterday near his
home in the southern part of the county by a rolative, who brought him to
the Sallsbury jall last night, Brady was
wanted for a murderous assault upon Mr.
John Owen, a neighbor farmer, whom he
almost stabbed to death on April 25th,
The reward will be paid to Brady's
cousin who made the capture. It is now
thought that Owens will recover. 1,33,000 last year.
Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now affoat and held in Great Britain and Continental Europe 1,946,900 against 1,952,000 last year; in Egypt 112,000 against 199000 last year; and in the United States 551,000 against 947,000 last year.

# Miraculous Escape.

Produce Market,

The commission merchants on Cary
Street and thereabouts opened business
yesterday morning with a very active
demand for all kinds of country produce,
especially vegetables. The demand was
slightly in excess of the supply, and the
result was stiffer prices along all lines.
Those who go out to day to arrange
for the big Sunday dinner will find all
articles in the vegetable line higher, and
they can attribute the fact to light receipts on Cary Street yesterday, Miraculous Escape.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SALISBURY, N. C., May 18.—A rearend collision between two freight trains occurred at Statesville on the Asheville division of the Southern yesterday morning in which a number of cars were demolished and a quantity of merchandise destroyed. An east-bound freight was taking water at the station when another train running at a rapid rate of E. A. Berber, Ir., Secretary.

speed ran into the caboose of the first train, tearing several cars into kindling. Flagman Haddock, of Spencer, was saleep in the catoone of the wrecked train and had a miraculous escape from death, the apartment in which he was asleep being torn into shreds. The crew of each train escaped without injury.

Fined for Selling Cider.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ENREKA MILLS, CVA., May 18.—The
Circuit Court, which was in assaion for
a week, has adjourned. Much business
was transacted. The grand jury returned indictments against Milton Brothers
and Tucker, O. H. Berry, Charles I. Foster, M. A. Tucker, J. P. Wallace, Nick
Hall, W. H. Smith and Tucker Brothers
& Co., for violation of the revenue laws
in seiling older without license.

# Cotton Letter

By MILLER & COMPANY.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The weather has been the dominant influence to-day, and clear skies butwelfhed the buillish influence of another day of 16.000 bales of spots at Liverpool. The early strength in that market was wasted here, and our prices after a very lame opening, sold off until a dolline of 10 points had been established. The air was full or rumors that the builleader had succeeded in getting out of all his long heldings and was now standing short of a line of about 160,000 bales of short cotton in the two group months. There is no reason of believe that there is not reason to believe that there is any truther that they had a profit. The feature of the day was a crop report of the day was a crop report in the succeeding a good many longs to select the special profit of the day was a crop report in question, while generally read and discounted, failed to have any steadying influence on prices. We understand that another firm has in preparation returns received, which indicate no more than 5 per cent. while indicate no more than 5 per cent. Increase in acreage, it the result of these indications is a fair index, the June crop report, issued by the government, must in the nature of things, be a very buillish document, for an increase of 5 per cent. over last year would mean an acreage of only \$5,560,000, which, with a good average season, would proceed the season of the mean of the me

Range of the Market. 

# TRADE CONDITIONS.

Future Regarded With Increasing Confidence-Effect of Weather.

Confidence—Effect of Weather.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, May 18.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade to-morrow will say.

Higher temperatures accelerate the movement of seasonable merchandles and improves agricultural conditions, except wher ethe precipitation has been insumcient. The season was somewhat backward on the farms until this week, but lost ground is being regained, although the searcity of labor delays operations. Customary quiet prevails in certain lines that are between seasons and mercantile collections are still irregular, yet the future is regarded with increasing confidence. Manufacturing returns indicate few strikes and little idle machinery, some sections of the iron and steel industry having secured contracts covering output more than a year, shead, and some sections of the iron and steel industry having secured contracts covering output more than a year alead, and shipments of footween from Boston are surpassing all records, while the textile mills operate freely, notwithstanding the high prices for raw materials. Despite the coal strike and interruption to freight handling at lower lake ports, railway earnings for the first week of May were 10.2 per cent. large rthan in the corresponding week last year. Foreign commerce in April surpassed the same month in any preceding year, both as to exports and imports, and it is especially gratifying to note the gain in shipments of manufactured products. At this port for the last week imports gained 33,421,282, and evports lost 31,280,880, in comparison with last year's figures. Strength still prevails in the hide market, although large tanners are not operating freely, but numerous small orders make a good showing in the aggregate, and there is now sydence of trading below full rates. Leather is well maintained on the whole. Fallures this week numbered 211 in the United States, against 234, and 26 in Canada, compared with 11 a year ago.

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(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, —ay 18,—Total bank clearings \$2,954,492,12, outside New York, \$590,890,394, increase, 6.5 per cent.

Richmond, \$5,889,317; increase, 17.2.

Savannah, \$4,596,748; increase, 47.6.

Atlanta, \$5,500,386; increase, 64.5.

Norfolk, \$2,747,870; increase, 46.2.

Charleston, \$1,522,551; increase, 21.2.

Knoxville, \$1,890,572; increase, 22.7.

Locksonville, \$1,80,573; increase, 22.7.

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Macon, Ga., \$560,739; increase, 33.1. Augusta, \$1,897,307; increase, 19.6.

Leaf Tobacco Market. All the warehouses had small sales yesterday and disposed of about 40,000 pounds of sun-cured tobacco. The total sales for the week did not foot up after than 125,000 pounds. Prices remain firm and the demand for good stock is very active.

# FINANCIAL.

The Bank of Commerce & Trusts Tenth and Main Streets,

Accounts of Firms, Individuals and Corporations.

3 per cent. Interest Allowed on Savings Deposits.

TRAVELLERS, IMPORTERS AND will save money by consulting First National Bank, RICHMOND, before buying or selling FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

#### LANCASTER & LUCKE Bankers and Brokers RICHMOND, VA.

For sale, the First Preferred Stock of the Jefferson Realty Company, yielding five per cent., free of tax. RAILROADS.



#### PHILADELPHIA.

RICHMOND AND NORFOLK LINE.
Freight received and delivered daily at C. and O. Rwy. Co.'s Depot. Seventeenth and Broad Streets. H. K. WOODFIN. Soliciting Agent, Va. Nav. Co.'s Whart. Rockette.

Merchants and Miners Transportation Co.'s

RAILROADS, R.F.&P. Fredericksburg

Trains Leave Hichmond—Northward. 6:26 A. M.—Daily—Hyrd St. Through. 6:20 A. M.—Daily—Main St. Through. 7:26 A. M.—Week Days—Eiba, Ashland a commodation.

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8160 A. M.—Daily—Byrd St. Through.

12:05 noon—Week Days—Byrd St. Through.

14:00 P. M.—Week Days—Byrd St. Fredericks
burg Accommodation.

6:05 P. M.—Daily, Main St. Through.

2:25 P. M.—Week Days—Bibs. Ashland Accommodation.

8:20 P. M.—Daily—Byrd St. Through.

Trains Arrive Richmond-Southward. 6:40 A. M.-Week Days-Elba. Ashland Accommodation.

8:20 A. M.—Week Days—Byrd St. Fredericks-burg Accommodation.

Burg Accommodation.

8:35 A. M. — Daily—Byrd St. Through.

11:50 A. M. — Week Days—Byrd St. Through.

Local stops.

2:16 P. M. — Daily—Main St. Through.

6:48 P. M. — Week Days—Biba. Ashiand Accommodation.

7:15 P. M. — Daily—Myrd St. Through.

9:00 P. M. — Daily—Byrd St. Through. Local Stops.

10:10 P. M. — Daily—Main St. Through.

NOTED—Pullman Sleeping or Parlor Cars on all above trains except trains arriving Richmond 11:50 A. M. week days, and local accommodations.

modations, and departures and connections not guaranteed.
W. D. DUKE, C. W. CULP, W. P. TAYLOK,
Asst. to Prest. Oan'l, Supt. Traf. Mgr.

# Southern Railway

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT, APRIL 29, 1999.

7:00 A. THAINS LEAVE RICHMOND.
7:00 P. M.—Dally—Limited—Pulman ready summers and read

9:15 A. M.—No. 15—From Baltimary
Point.
10:15 A. M., No. 9. 5:15 P. M., No. 73—From
West Point and Local Stations.
No. 15 and No. 16 stop Quinton, Tunstalls,
White House and Local Stations.
C. W. WESTRITRY. D. P. A., Richmond, Va.
S. H. HARDWICK, W. H. TAYLOB.
P. T. M.
H. B. SPENCER, Gen'l Mgr..
Washington, D. C.

Chesapeake & Ohio Ry Cincinnati, Indianapolia, St. Louis, Chi-

Westbound Local Trains:
7:80 a. m. delly and 5:15 p. m. week days.
Newport News, Norfolk and Old Point,
9:03 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. daily.
Local for Newport News and Old Point James River Lines

10:20 a. m. daily: 5:15 p. m. week days.

Arrive Meine Line from West: \*7:26 A. M.
\*8:30 A. M. \*3:30 P. M. \*7:46 P. M. From
East: \*10:05 A. M. \*11:46 A. M. \*7:00 P. \*8:
\$:00 P. M. James River: \*8:40 A. M. \*100
P. M. (\*Daily: \*\*Ex. Sunday.3

# N&W Norfolk & Western

ONLY ALL-RAIL LINE TO NORFOLK. Leave Byrd-St. Station, Richmond, Daily. In Effect Jan. 24th, 1906. FOR NORFOLK: \*9:00 A. M.. \*3:00 P.

M., 7:25 P. M.
FOR LYNCHBURG, the WEST and
the SOUTHWEST: 9:05 A. M., 12:10 Noon,
8.00 P. M. Pullman Parlor and Sleeping cars. Cafe Dining cars. Trains arrive daily from Norfolk "11:40 "5:50 P. M., from the West 7:42 A. M., 2:05 P. M., 9:20 P. M. Office ESS E. Main St. "Flyer: 2 hrs. 28 minutes.

W. B. BEVILL. C. H. BOSLEY. Gen. Pass. Agent. Dist. Pass. Agent.

# ATLANTIC COAST LINE

For N. and W. My, Yess, 11:10, 5:00. 5:45, For Petersburg, 9:00 A. M., 12:10, 3:00. 5:45, 10:00 and 11:30 P. M. For Goldsboro and Payetteville, \*2:58 P. M. Trains arrivo Richmond daily: 4:17, \*9:183, \*10:48 and 4:00. 2:00, 6:50, 8:00 and 9:00 S. M., \*1:00. 2:00, 6:50, 8:00 and 9:00 S. M., \*\*Sunday only. \*\*Sunday only. Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

# Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Southbound Trains Leave Richmond Daily.

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State Annual Continuation of the Continuation of the Charlest Atlanta, Birmingham,

Momphis and Southwest.

Sop P. M.—Savannah, Jacksonville and Fiorida points.

11:00 P. M.—To Savannah, Jacksonville, Atlanta, Birmingham, Momphis and Southwest. West. Northbound Trains Arrive Richmond Dally 8:10 A. M., 4:55 P. M., 5:30 P. M.

Richmond and Petersburg Electric Railway. Care leave corner of Seventh Indindir,
Streets, Minohester, every hour (on the hour)
from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M. Limited care.
Limited care. 5.47, P. M. Limited care.
Care leave, the leavest from 6.28 A. M. to 19.35 P.
Receles Care. 114.60 P. M. Limited care fills.
M. daily, except Sunday.
All care from Petersburg connecting Richmond care.

STEAMBOATS.

### OLD DOMINION STEAMSHIP COMPANY

Night Line for Norfolk. Leave Richmond every evening (foot Ash Street) at 1 P. M. stopping at Newport News en route. Fare, \$2.50 one way, \$4.50 per trip, including staternom berth; meets, \$500, each, Street Cars to Steamer's Wharf.

FOR NEW YORK

via Night Line Steamers (excent Saturday) making connection in Norrolk with Main Line Ship, following say at 7 P. M.; also Norrolk at 8 Western River 19 A. M. and 3 P.M., and Chespeake Scholo Ry. at 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. and Norrik with Main Line Shipe salling at 1 P. M., Tickets, 808 E. Main Street.

Bay Line to Baltimors Via C. and O. Rwy, and Old Point U. S. MAIL ROUTS.
Leave Richmond via C. and O. daily, except Sunday, at 4 P. M. ricamar of Old Bay Line Richmon of the C. and O. daily, except Sunday, at 4 P. M. ricamar of Old Bay Line Richmon of S. M., arriving Balling via C. and O. Rwy. Richmond Transfer Company, and No. 830 East Main Street.

Clyde Steamship Co.

Boston, Mass., and Providence, R. I.

Steamers leave Norfolk for Boston Tuesday,
Wedineaday, Friday and Bunday, For Providence Monday, Thursday and Saturday & P.

M. Pasengers and freight inten for all the Committee of the Comm